

# ADVISORY

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## **"Honor a Hero, Hire a Vet" Job and Resource Fair Takes Place Tomorrow At Los Angeles Convention Center**

**EVENT:** An "Honor a Hero, Hire a Vet" Job and Resource Fair will be held to provide veterans with the opportunity to learn valuable information about available services for veterans and to meet with potential employers who can assist them with their career goals. Admission is free.

**DATE:** Wednesday, October 15, 2008

**TIME:** 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

**PLACE:** Los Angeles Convention Center  
1201 South Figueroa Street  
Los Angeles, California 90015

**WHO:** Veterans Business Outreach Center, U.S. Small Business Administration, Employment Development Department, General Services Administration, Sacramento Employment and Training Agency, Department of General Services, Procurement Technical Assistance Center, California Disabled Veterans Business Enterprise (DVBE), California Department of Veteran Affairs American River College, Sacramento Veterans Resource Center, potential employers, and veterans.

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**BACKGROUND:** This event is designed to bridge the gap between veterans interested in starting or expanding a small business or learning about contracting opportunities with Federal, State, local municipalities, and prime contractors. Opportunities will be available to meet with bank loan officers to discuss financing options for DVBE and Veteran Small Businesses Enterprises. Franchising executives will also be present to discuss possible franchising opportunities. In addition, workshops will be conducted on financing alternatives and government contracting.